(5777.) NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (EXCEPT GISBORNE JUDICIAL DISTRICT) STONEMASONS.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of the War Legislation and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1918; and in the matter of the Northern Industrial District (except Gisborne Judicial District) Stonemasons' award dated the 20th day of November, 1917, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xviii, p. 1001; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 7th day of July, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 677.

Upon reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 13th day of February, 1920, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said union and of the employers parties to the said award, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations and being of opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Acts and of every other

power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order that the said order shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. By deleting the figures " $2\frac{1}{2}$ d." in clause 1 (a) of the said order dated the 7th day of July, 1919, and substituting therefor the figures " $3\frac{1}{2}$ d."

2. This order shall operate and take effect as from the 1st day of January, 1920.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.